

#### **Rules and Regulations**

- \*Attempts to circumvent these or other state policies may be grounds for revoking the camping permit without refund. ALCOHOL IS NOT PERMITTED.
- \*Campsite occupancy is limited to six (6) persons, this includes children and infants.
- \*Visitors: Guests and visitors are not permitted. Only registered campers are allowed in the campground.
- \* <u>Pets</u> are not permitted at Beaver Pond Campground or Lake Welch.
- \* <u>Parking</u>: Only one (1) car is permitted at each campsite. Second cars must be parked in the designated area. Third cars are subjected to an additional fee.
- \* Age limitation: Persons under the age of 21 will not be permitted to camp unless accompanied and supervised by a person 21 years of age or older who has been issued a permit for that campsite. Children must be properly supervised at all times.
- \* <u>Quiet hours</u> are strictly enforced from 10:00PM to 8:00AM. Noise must be kept at a courteous level at all times. Please respect your fellow campers.
- \* Generators may be used only from 8:00AM until 10:00AM and from 7:00PM until 9:00PM
- \* <u>Car stereos</u> are not permitted to be used in the campground at any time.
- \* <u>Bicycles</u> are permitted on the campground roadways. All cyclists, regardless of age, must wear a bicycle helmet. Bicycling is not permitted at Lake Welch Beach.
- \* <u>Property damage</u>: Patrons shall not deface, destroy, or injure any park structure or property, living trees, plants, or wildlife.
- \* Nails and Hardware are not permitted to be driven into trees or platforms. No person shall attach a rope, line or other device to trees, shrubs, or any structure. Tarps may not be hung from any trees or structure in the campground.
- \* <u>Campfires</u> are permitted only in the metal fire rings provided at each site.
- \* <u>Firewood</u> may be cut only from trees that are dead on the ground. Firewood may be purchased from the within the campground. Chainsaws are not permitted. Hand saw use only.
- \* <u>Tables:</u> Only one (1) table is provided for each campsite. Do not remove tables from other sites.
- \* Garbage and Litter: Please keep your campsite free of litter and place your bagged garbage in the large green dumpsters provided for your use. Failure to keep your campsite clean will result in additional fees or permit revocation.
- \*Bear Habitat warning: There may be bear activity in this area. Bear habitat guide lines must be followed at all times
- \* Extending your stay: Check-out is no later than 11:00AM. Extensions must be made before 11:00AM on the last day of your registration.



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## **CAMPING**

AT

### **Beaver Pond Campground**

Harriman State Park (845) 947-2792



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The Camping Season begins with the first night of camping on the last Friday in April. The season ends with the last night of camping on the Sunday of Columbus Day weekend in October.

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The campground is divided up into three sections. These sections are A section, the Main section and W section. A section does not open until Memorial Day weekend and closes on Labor Day (last night of camping is Sunday). It consists of 25 platform sites and one comfort station with flush toilets and hot showers. It is generally quieter and closer to the water than our other sites. The **Main** section is open the entire camping season. It consists of both ground sites and platform sites, two comfort stations with flush toilets and hot showers and one smaller comfort station with toilets only. Sites in this section are identified by the road they are on B, C, D, E and F. W section is also open for the entire duration of the camping season. It consists of ground sites and one comfort station with flush toilets and hot showers. The sites in this section are more secluded than those in the main section.



#### **Amenities**

**Ground sites:** 50' X 50' sites that may or may not accommodate a trailer or a motor home (see campground map). Sites that accommodate RV's do not have water or electric hook-ups. Each site has a fire ring with grill and a picnic table.

**Platform sites:** 50'0X 50' plot with a 14' X 14' wood deck, which will accommodate a free-standing tent (no stakes or nails). Each site has a fire ring with a grill and a picnic table.

**Laundry Facility**- One washer, one dryer located in the Camp Store building.

**Dump Station**- Available to registered campers at no charge; located on the left after leaving the office but before entering the main section of the campground.

**Campground Beach**- Swimming is permitted only during the swimming season when lifeguards are on duty.

Access to New York State parks in the area-Registered campers may visit nearby state parks without paying the vehicle entrance fee by showing their current camping receipt/permit at

showing their current camping receipt/permit at the point of entry. Additional fees, such as pool admissions, are not included and must be paid where applicable.

**Fishing**- is permitted with a New York State fishing license. Licenses are available at most sporting goods stores.

Private Boats- may be launched on Lake Welch by PERMIT ONLY. See boating and fishing brochures for locations and requirements. Registered campers may launch their boats from our launch area by the campground beach. Cars may be driven (with care and notice to office personnel) to the boat launch to drop off the boat but cannot be parked there. Cars must be driven back to the campground area.

**Hiking-** The closest marked hiking trail is the Suffern-Bear Mountain Trail.

#### **Making a Reservation**

To make a reservation, please call 1-800-456-2267 (TTY 1-800-304-1265) or make reservations on-line at <a href="www.reserveamerica.com">www.reserveamerica.com</a>. Reservations will be accepted for camping from 24 hours to 9 months in advance of the date of your planned arrival. The number of reservations per telephone call is limited to six.

Duration of stay – Reservations may be made for a campsite for a minimum of two nights and a maximum of fourteen nights.

#### **Reservation & Rental Payments**

- **1.** Credit cards -- Visa and MasterCard are accepted. Please have your credit card number ready when making your reservation.
- **2. Checks** -- If paying by check your reservation must be at least 21 days prior to the date of your scheduled arrival. Full payment of your camping and reservation fees must be received within five days of making your reservation to avoid automatic cancellation.
- 3. Money Orders If paying by money order your reservation must be made at least five business days prior to your scheduled arrival. Full payment of your camping and reservation fees must be received by the reservation center a minimum of two days prior to your arrival.
- **4. Internet** Visit us on-line at <a href="https://www.reserveamerica.com">www.reserveamerica.com</a> for reservations and payments through the internet.

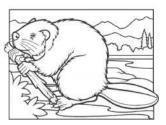
#### **Mail Payments to:**

New York Camping/Cabin Reservation System 40 South street, P.O. Box 199 Ballston Spa, NY 12020

#### Cancellations, Refunds and Changes

- 1. To make any changes to your reservation you must call 1-800-456-2267 two or more days prior to your scheduled arrival date. A reservation change fee will be applied. Changes cannot be made less than two days prior to your arrival date. A name or facility change requires a cancellation and a new reservation. Cancellation and reservation fees will be applied at the campground.
- **2.** Cancellations made 8 days prior to your scheduled arrival date will result in a refund equal to the amount paid minus the nonrefundable reservation fee and cancellation fee.
- **3.** Cancellations made less than 8 days prior to your arrival date will result in a refund equal to the amount already paid minus the non-refundable reservation fee, the cancellation fee, and your first nights camping fee.

**4.** To cancel a reservation within 2 days of your scheduled arrival date, contact the campground directly at 845-947-2792.



Arriving without a reservation: If you do not wish to utilize the reservation system, on the day you arrive you may register for up to fourteen nights, provided space is available. A registration fee will be applied.

Check in Time – Campers may check in at 3:00PM. They must register at the office before entering the campground. They must register and occupy their site by 9:00PM on the first night of their reservation or their campsite will be subject to re-rental and fees may be forfeited.

Checkout Time – Campers must vacate their campsite no later than 11:00AM on the final day of their reservation. All equipment must be removed. The campground is not responsible for items left behind.

Beaver Pond is a carry-in carry-out facility. If you do not bring your trash to the dumpsters provided at the entrance to the main section of the campground you will be flagged in the reservation system. The flags are seen by all state camping facilities. Additional clean-up fines may be assessed if you fail to keep your campsite clean during your stay.

Access Passes may be used at our park. You must present your access pass along with another form of I.D. at the time of check in. There have been changes made to the Access Passes accepted for camping.